NorthWind Books Early Reader Series – *Available at Resource Services to sign out or purchase.*

The NorthWind Books were developed to be used as part of a guided reading program and provide reading material that reflects the life and experiences of Yukon First Nations people. Currently there are no new books being developed. NorthWind Books were developed collaboratively with the NorthWind Books Working Group. The working group was composed of classroom teachers and an Elder, with technical support from the department's coordinator of Primary Programs and the FNPP Cultural Inclusion Consultant. A Teachers' Guide, is also available, and includes reading activities, cultural connections and cross-curricular links.

**Northwind Books Titles**

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| Making Tea at Grandma’s | Level 4/5 Chief Zzeh Gittlit School featuring Percilla Charlie-Tizya and Shae Han Garrett-Charlie and elder Helen Charlie, Vuntut Gwitchin First Nation |
| Hunting With Dad | Level 4/5 Written by Patti Tetlichi, Chief Zzeh Gittlit School. Special thanks to Jane Montgomery, Vuntut Language Teacher & Aidan & Robert Kyikavichik, Old Crow, Yukon |
| Kaska Day at School | Level 8/9 Ross River School featuring Melodie and Monica Johnny and Henry Nukon |
| The Snowsnake Game | Level 15/16 Ross River School featuring Melodie and Monica Johnny and Henry Nukon |
| Raven Brings Light – A Play | Not leveled Elijah Smith Elementary School featuring Kerri Peters’ grade two students |
| Finding A Medicine Tree | Level 15/16 J.V. Clark School featuring the grade one and two students and Elder Betty Lucas, First Nation of Na-Cho Nyäk Dun |
| Ice Fishing Fun | Level 16/17 St. Elias Community School featuring Mariah MacDonald and Jesse McCuaig and Elders Mary Shadow and Rosalie Washington, Champagne and Aishihik First Nations |
| A Winter Camp | Level 16/17 Elijah Smith Elementary School Cultural Camp featuring Russell Burns, Elder Charlie Burns, Elder Annie Smith, Dianne Smith & Corinne Gurtler's Grade One class |
| Fishing at Simpson Creek | Level 17/18 Johnson Elementary School featuring Aaron Chaput and Denetia Stone, Mr. Aaron Kalles and Elder Leda Jules and Kaska instructor Phoebe Lewis |
| A Time for Bear Roots | Level 18/19 Special thanks to Elder Jimmy Johnny of the First Nation of Na-Cho Nyäk Dun and the Grade One and Two Students of J.V. Clark School, Mayo, Yukon |
| Presley's Special Name | Level 18/19 Special thanks to Presley Hähke Isaac Lindgren-Woods, Trudy Lindgren, Ashley Doiron and the Tr’ondëk Hwëch’in Government |
| Rabbit Stew for Grandma | Level 19/20 Special thanks to Elders Mrs. Martha Buyck and Mr. Walter Peter, of the First Nation of Na-Cho Nyäk Dun, and the students of J.V. Clark School, Mayo, Yukon |

**Eaglecrest Titles**

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| **Title** | **Reading Level** |
| Going Outside | Level 1 Tantalus School featuring Savannah Gage and Marcus Gage-Skookum |
| My Grandpa | Level 2 Featuring Azreil Allen and James Allen, Champagne & Aishihik FN |
| Big Things and Little Things | Level 2 Elijah Smith Elementary School featuring Trevaughn Smith |
| New Slippers | Level 6 Featuring Danielle/ Tahyah Van Bibber/Elder Pearl Keenan, Teslin Tlingit Council |
| Hungry Red Fox | Level 8 |
| Hot Moose Stew | Level 12 Kluane Lake School featuring Angeline Johnson and Elder Agnes Johnson |
| The Dog Sled Ride | Level 16 Hidden Valley School featuring Josh Nicol and Natalee Patchett and Frank Turner |